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UK NEQAS Clinical Chemistry

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01.05.25 – London
09.05.25 – Manchester
19.06.25 – Edinburgh
12.09.25 – Dublin

All spaces taken and was a great success!
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A Jocktacular event in Auld Reekie!
Book now to avoid disappointment

Why EQA is important for Patient Safety: Showing where EQA has made a difference

Further information and registration

<https://birminghamquality.org.uk/education/meetings/>



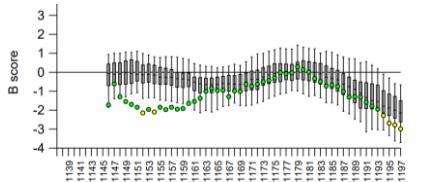
Scheme Updates:

- We are extremely pleased to announce that we will be contributing to the GIRFT Pathology / Birmingham Quality / Weqas / Clinical and Laboratory Webinar on 11th November 2025. There will be both Laboratory and Clinical perspectives. The key theme is Patient-Focussed Quality, so especially if you are a Head of Department or Laboratory Lead, this is a must-see! Hold the date. *Details to follow.....*
- If you want to transition to the Monthly Chemistry Programme like 40% of our Participants, then see, <https://birminghamquality.org.uk/eqa-programmes/mgen/>
- The Male Testosterone multi-specimen exercise in the **UK NEQAS for Steroid Hormones** scheme was a resounding success and we are working with the Society for Endocrinology on writing up the clinical element and will be feeding back data to Participants. Thanks to all who contributed.

The second part Progesterone interpretation exercise goes out on the 19th August in Distribution 532.

EQA Nuggets:

Is your assay heading south for summer?
Check out the Seismograph plots on the Cumulative summary page of your report.



You may have missed:

We have got a MS Forms Q and A on Ammonia pre-analytics out at the moment, so please complete this as soon as you can.

<https://forms.office.com/e/2q7BQZvVdZ>

The findings will be reported back as part of September's Webinar where the main Agenda item will be our **Ammonia Scheme**

